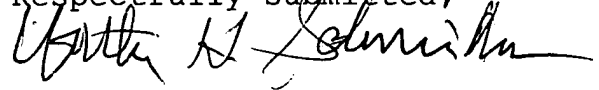


REMARKS

A reconsideration of this application is respectfully requested. Applicant's arguments in favor of a favorable reconsideration have been submitted in the Amendment of September 22, 2008.

An early action leading to the issuance of a Notice of Allowance is respectfully urged.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Walter H. Schneider", written over the typed name.

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